

Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge
Comprehensive Conservation Plan
SUMMARY OF PETITIONS

Text of Petition	# of pages	# of Signatures
Please sign this petition to INCREASE—not decrease—public facilities at Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge. We, the undersigned, believe it is in the best interests of all concerned (both wildlife and humankind) for responsible parties at federal, state and local levels to develop a comprehensive, contemporary plan for new and improved accommodations—including, but not limited to—boating, camping, hiking trails, beaches and a waterfront resort. <i>We support a ban on “jet-ski” type watercraft.</i>	26	422 (+1 signature opposed)
We, the undersigned, protest the proposed plan to close Crab Orchard Campground at Crab Orchard Lake. This plan, we feel, would be detrimental to the recreation, economy and tourism of Southern Illinois.	83	1,639
We, the undersigned, protest the proposed plan to close Crab Orchard Lake. This plan we feel, would be detrimental to the recreation, economy, and tourism of Southern Illinois.	91	1,652
We, the undersigned, oppose any effort by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to ban boating, and recreational activities at the Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge.	1	4
We, the undersigned, are adamantly opposed to any effort by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to ban boating or further restrict recreational activities at the Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge. (inclusive is the objection to any ban on the selling of gasoline to motorized water craft on Crab Orchard Lake)	96	2,435